GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7192
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CLOSURE OF MAMC
SUNIL KHAN

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to close down Mining and Allied Machinery Corporation Ltd., Durgapur;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the effect on Small Scale Industries as a result thereof;

(d) whether some quarters, guest house and Auditorium of the company are not utilised by the Management;

(e) if so, the reasons therefor;

(f) the Voluntary Separation Scheme is applicable to the hospital staff of MAMC; and (g) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

(DR. VALLABH BHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) to (c): MAMC is a sick company and referred to BIFRBIFR afterconsidering all aspects has issued a show cause notice on 11.1.1995 for winding up of the company which has been stayed by the Calcutta High Court.

(d) to (e): Infrastructure of the company like quarters, guest house and auditorium are being utilised as per requirement. The usages of these facilities has come down in the face of reduced employee strength and low level of operations.

(f) & (g): Yes, Sir. The Voluntary Separation Scheme was introduced from

1.12.1998 to 31.05.1999 and was applicable to all employees of MAMC including hospital staff.